

in the Treasury, due to Montgomery county, as their portion of the free school fund, was taken up for consideration, in just turn, read the second time, assented to, and sent to the Senate for concurrence.

The unfavorable report of the Committee on Divorces, on the petitions of Eliza Barbine and Mary Downs, of the city of Baltimore, made on the 30th ultimo, was taken up for consideration, in just turn, read the second time, and concurred in.

The Clerk of the Senate returned the bills of this House, of the following titles:

An act to repeal all special acts of Assembly for the pecuniary relief of indigent persons, by county assessments, in Caroline county, and for other purposes.

An act to authorise Thompson F. Mason, of Alexandria, District of Columbia, to hire, remove to, or work on, Fair Island, in the Potomac river, any of his slaves.

An act to authorise equitable assignees to sue in their own names. And,

An act to authorise John Croft, of Baltimore county, to hold real estate; severally endorsed, "will pass."

Ordered, That the said bills be severally engrossed.

And delivered a bill originated in, and passed by, the Senate, entitled, an act to incorporate the President and Directors of the Firemens' Insurance Company of Baltimore; which bill, being read by its title, was referred to Messrs. Hunt, Nicholas, and Johnson.

On motion by Mr. Done, the bill from the Senate, entitled, an act to repeal a part of the act passed at November session, 1793, chapter 57, was taken up for consideration, read the second time, passed without amendment, and returned to the Senate.

The bill from the Senate, entitled, a supplement to the act, entitled, an act to incorporate the Universal Insurance Company of Baltimore, was taken up for consideration in just turn, read the second time, passed without amendment, and returned to the Senate.

The bill of this House, reported by Mr. Nicholas on the 26th instant, entitled, a supplement to the act, entitled, an act supplementary to an act for the opening of Pratt street, was taken up for consideration, in just turn, read the second time, passed without amendment, and sent to the Senate for concurrence.

The bill reported by Mr. Jenifer on the 29th ultimo, entitled, an act for the benefit of Jane White, of the city of